

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

COOS COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
COOS COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION DEPT.)
FOR APPROVAL OF CHANGES IN PLACE OF)
USE AND USE OF WATER)

ORDER APPROVING
TRANSFER NO. 4155

On February 9, 1979, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Coos County Parks & Recreation Department for approval of changes in place of use and use heretofore made of water from Morris Creek, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

The certificate recorded at page 26062, Volume 17, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of Coos Bay Timber Company, describes a right which includes the use of not to exceed 0.02 cubic foot per second from an unnamed stream (Morris Creek) for domestic use at seven houses and six trailer locations in SW¹/₄ SW¹/₄ of Section 12, Township 31 South, Range 12 West, W.M., with a date of priority of January 14, 1955. Water for this right is diverted from a point located 1126.5 feet North and 172.1 feet East from the Southwest Corner of Section 12, being within the SW¹/₄ SW¹/₄ of Section 12, Township 31 South, Range 12 West, W.M.

The applicant herein, owner of the above described house and trailer sites, proposes to change the place of use of water from domestic use at one house site and the use theretofore made of water from domestic use at the remaining six houses and six trailer locations, without loss of priority, to hereafter use the water in lieu thereof for domestic supplies for one family at a house site in NW¹/₄ SW¹/₄ of said Section 12; and for park use at the county park in W¹/₂ SW¹/₄ of said Section 12.

Notice of the application, pursuant to ORS 540.520(2), was published in the World, a newspaper printed and having general circulation in Coos County, Oregon, for a period of three weeks in the issues of March 19 and 26; and April 2, 1979.

Mr. M. John Youngquist, Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed changes in place of use and use heretofore made of water may be made without injury to existing rights.

No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed changes in place of use and use heretofore made of water may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the requested changes in place of

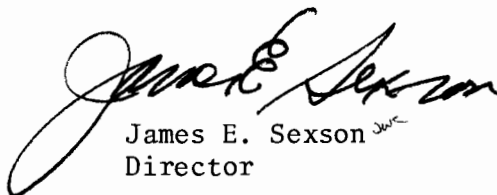
use and use heretofore made of water, as described herein, without loss of priority, are approved.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that NO time need be fixed for completion as the changes in place of use and use heretofore made of water are completed.

The order of the Water Resources Director entered May 22, 1979, provided for cancellation of that portion of the right described by certificate of water right recorded at page 26062, Volume 17, State Record of Water Right Certificates, NOT involved in this transfer proceeding; therefore,

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate of water right recorded at page 26062, Volume 17, State Record of Water Right Certificates, is canceled; and upon proof satisfactory to the Water Resources Director of completion of works and beneficial use of water to the extent intended under the provisions of this order, a confirming certificate of water right shall be issued to the applicant herein.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 22nd day of May, 1979.


James E. Sexson
Director